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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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INVENTION: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE SELECTION OF BASE  
STATIONS IN A CELLULAR RADIO  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

25 **In the Specification:**

Please replace the Specification of the present application, including the  
Abstract, with the following Substitute Specification:

**SPECIFICATION**

**TITLE OF THE INVENTION**

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METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE SELECTION OF  
BASE STATIONS IN A CELLULAR RADIO TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

In the terminal equipment domain of telecommunications, radio paths are  
becoming increasingly important. Cordless telephones, mobile radio terminals and the  
35 wireless connection technology "RLL" (Radio in the Local Loop) or "WLL" (Wireless